

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Applicants: Walter Fix et al. Serial No.: 10/562,869 Filed: April 7, 2006

For: Logic Gate with a Potential-Free Gate Electrode for Organic
Integrated Circuits

Examiner: Eva Y. Montalvo Art Unit: 2814 Atty docket: 411000-144 Cust. No. 27162

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NON COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF

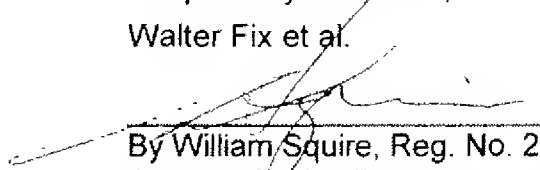
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This is in regard to the Office Action dated Feb. 23, 2011 in respect of applicants' non-compliant appeal brief. The undersigned called the supervisory paralegal, Ms. Quita Gould, on Feb. 28, 2011 after reviewing the objected to section. The undersigned did not understand the objection. Ms. Gould stated that normally the claim in this section should appear first. She stated that the PTO paralegals do not normally read this section. Upon review of the objected to section, Ms. Gould agreed that the brief is acceptable and would vacate the Office Action. This paper is to confirm in writing that telephone call.

Respectfully submitted,

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